

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

3 In re: Western States Wholesale Natural Gas
4 Antitrust Litigation

5 JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE

6 MDL Docket No. 1566
7 CV-S-03-1431-RCJ (PAL) BASE FILE

8 Case Number: 2:07-CV-01019-RCJ (PAL)

- 9 ☐ **Jury Verdict.** This action came before the Court for a trial by jury. The issues have
10 been tried and the jury has rendered its verdict.
- 11 ☒ **Decision by Court.** This action came to trial or hearing before the Court. The
12 issues have been tried or heard and decision has been rendered.
- 13 ☐ **Notice of Acceptance with Offer of Judgment.** A notice of acceptance with offer
14 of judgment has been filed in this case.

15 THE COURT HAS ORDERED THAT:

16 On May 24, 2016, the Court issued an Order (ECF No. 2416) granting CenterPoint Energy
17 Services, Inc.'s ("CES") Motion for Summary Judgment (ECF No. 2286), in the matter
18 entitled *Arandell Corp., et al. v. Xcel Energy, Inc., et al.*, 2:07-CV-01019-RCJ-PAL. The Court
19 subsequently granted the Arandell Plaintiffs'¹ Motion for Entry of Final Judgment Pursuant to
20 Rule 54(b). The Court finds that judgment in favor of CES pursuant to its May 24 Order is a
21 final judgment under Rule 54(b). The Court further finds that the issues involved in its May 24
22 Order are severable and specific to CES, and not likely to recur on matters still pending before
23 the Court. Furthermore, the Court finds that entering final judgment will avoid unnecessary
24 duplication of proceedings, prevent harsh and unjust results to the parties, and further the
25 expeditious resolution of these proceedings. Therefore, Final Judgment is hereby entered as
26 follows:

18 All of the Arandell Plaintiffs' claims in their Third Amended Complaint (ECF No. 1846 in
19 2:03-CV-01431-RCJ-PAL) are dismissed with prejudice against CES. To the extent this Final
20 Judgment results in judgment against fewer than all Defendants and/or judgment on fewer than
21 all claims in the above-captioned action, the Court directs that Final Judgment be entered on all
22 claims against CES, as no just reason for delay exists.

23 Lance S. Wilson

24 Clerk

25 *Lance S. Wilson*



26 October 18, 2016

Date

¹ Arandell Corporation, Briggs & Stratton Corporation, Carthage College, Ladish Co., Inc., Merrick's, Inc., and Sargento Foods, Inc.